IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Insu LEE et al.

Attn: APPLICATION BRANCH

Serial No. NEW

Docket No. 00120/P-4858

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HIGHER UNSATURATED FATTY ACID COMPOSITION

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

2. --

Prior to calculating the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 3,

line 2, delete "or 2".

Kindly add the following new claim:

A food containing the higher unsaturated fatty acid composition claimed in claim

REMARKS

The foregoing amendments are effected to eliminate the multiple dependency of the claims to reduce the PTO filing fee.

Favorable action on the merits is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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